

# DIVINE MERCY PARISH

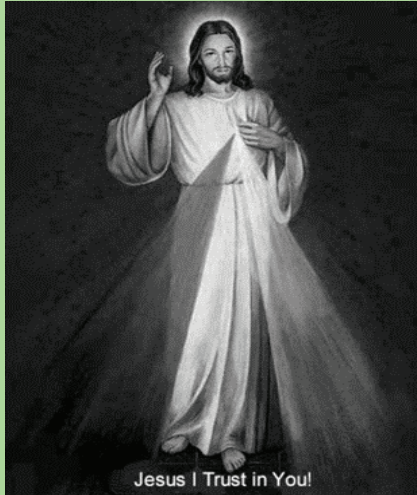
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### Parish Office

**Hours:** Monday to Friday from  
10 am - 2 pm

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### Parish Membership

The community of the Divine Mercy is known for its diversity but we are one in faith and love for the LORD. All are welcome to join our growing community. Please come and visit our office to register or sign up through our website.

**Twenty - Fourth  
Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**September 15, 2019**

### Mass Schedule

**Weekday** 12:00 pm Monday to Friday, Martes 7:00 pm Misa en Español  
**Saturday** 9:00 am, 4:00 pm (Vigil Mass)  
**Sunday** 8:00 am, 9:30 am, 11:00 am, 12:30 pm Misa en Español  
**Holy Days** 6:00 pm (Vigil Mass)  
12:00 pm, 6:00 pm , 7:00 pm Misa en Español

### Sacramental Schedule

**Confession** Monday to Friday after the Mass, Saturdays 3:00 pm or call the priest for an appointment, Martes y Miércoles Confesiones en Español 12:30 pm  
**Baptism** Call the parish office to make an appointment with a priest  
**Marriage** Couples planning marriage must notify the Parish rectory a year in advance for date and requirement. Call the Parish Office to make an appointment with a priest.  
**Anointing of the Sick** Contact a priest at any time.

### Devotions

<b>Eucharistic Adoration</b>	11:00 am	Every first Friday of the month,
<b>Mary Mother of God</b>	9:00 am	Every first Saturday of the month
<b>Divine Mercy Chaplet</b>	3:00 pm	Every 4 <sup>TH</sup> Saturday of the month
<b>Our Lady of Miraculous Medal</b>		Novena on Mondays after the Mass
<b>St. Jude</b>		Novena on Thursdays after the Mass

### Parish Community Meeting

**Worship Apostolate** meets in Room 104  
**Rosary Society** meets four times a year  
**Filipino Community** Mass every 3rd Sunday of the month with the Filipino Choir  
5:00 pm to 6:30 pm at the Church  
**Divine Mercy Ministry of Jesus** At Vigil Mass on every 4<sup>TH</sup> Saturday of the month  
**Spanish Community** Reuniones Hispanas  
Eucaristía Dominical 12:30 pm  
Bautismos Por favor llamar la oficina de Lunes a Viernes.  
Matrimonio Feligreses registrados tienen que presentarse un año antes de la boda.  
Reconciliación Confesiones Domingos antes de La Misa de 12:30 pm  
Unción de los Enfermos Por favor llamar a la oficina para visitas a las casa o hospital.  
**Mensajeras del Amor de Cristo** Visitan los enfermos Diana (732)535-0278  
**Educación Religiosa** (732)382-0004  
**Coro** Miércoles 7:30 pm  
**Movimiento Juan XXIII** Jueves 8:00 pm Parish School #104  
**Grupo Guadalupano** Martes 7:00 pm Iglesia  
**Grupo Juvenil "Angeles de Jesús"** Sábado 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm Aula 208  
**Grupo de Oración** Sábado 7:00 pm Connell Hall

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14 ( Vigil Mass )**  
 4:00 pm For the quick recovery of Peggy McKluskey

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15**  
 8:00 am Adam Rozanski  
 9:30 am Elizabeth Varadi  
 11:00 am Living Intention of Maria Angela Luna  
 12:30 pm Olga Maria Chicaiza

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 16**  
 12:00 pm People of the Parish

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17**  
 12:00 pm All Souls in Purgatory  
 7:00 pm † Albert Reitenmeyer

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18**  
 12:00 pm All Souls in Purgatory

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19**  
 12:00 pm Helen Sisk

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20**  
 12:00 pm All Souls in Purgatory

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21**  
 9:00 am † Jane Monahan

**FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK**

Dear Parishioners,

I am deeply humbled by your overwhelming support to all upcoming and ongoing projects of our Parish. I am truly grateful for all your cooperation, prayers and generous donations to the following projects;

**1) THE MEMORIAL BELLS OF ST. MARK'S CHURCH**

**DONORS**

Theresa Buhl	\$200	Genevieve Norante	\$150
Thomas Wahl	\$150	Jun & Malou Gameng	\$200
Dorothy Yuhaz	\$200	Kathleen & Jeffrey Robinson	\$100
Joseph Horling	\$200	† Eleanor Hudzik	\$250
Gloria Latherow	\$100	Mike & Mary Ann Fucsko	\$100
Daniel Lane	\$100	† Sandor Gonczlik	\$100
Linda Baluyot	\$20	Teresita Tandoc	\$100
George Ryan	\$50	Howard McNichols	\$100
Barbara Rusk	\$50	Catherine & Rob Ross	\$100
†Cathy Rozanski	\$300	Mary Louise Rozanski	\$100
Rosary Society	\$200	Matt & Diane Krynski	\$100
Janis Lisa	\$300	Judith Sogorka	\$100
Robert Sivitsky	\$300	Edward Bajgrowcz	\$50

I am happy to report that we have reached more than half of our targeted cost (\$4,500) for this project. The total donations as of **9/10/2019** is **\$3,720**. The Memorial bells will stand at the front yard of the church.

**2) ADORATION ROOM**

**DONORS**

Mario Caballero	Donor and Architect		
Felipe Gallegos	Carpenter		
Elizabeth Rogers	Donated Divine Mercy Frame		
Alex Marble &			
Juana Guadalupe Lima	\$750	Mil Aves Marias	\$300
Miguel Caranza	\$50	Anonymous	\$100
Sonia Estremera	\$25	Victoria Batista	\$50
Carlos &		Luis & Erika Olle	\$150
Graciela Rodriguez	\$50	Mercedez Gamboa	\$300
Gabriela Salgado	\$25	Juana Perez	\$40
Carlos & Miriam Balseca	\$50	Ilda Monteroso	\$500
Fernando & Maria Cardosa	\$60		

I am very excited to inform all of you that our Parish will soon have Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration. We will have an Adoration Room located at the right front wing of the Church. The Adoration Room is specially dedicated for the exposition of the most Sacred Body of Christ. The total donations for this project as of **9/10/2019** is **\$2,450**. The construction have already started for this project. Again from the bottom of my heart thank you very much for your continued support and generosity!

Yours in Christ,  
 Rev. Alexander T. Cruz

**THIS WEEK AT DIVINE MERCY**

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15**  
 7:00 am Food Sale Guadalupano (Hall)  
 12:00 pm Food Pantry (Annex)  
 5:00 pm Filipino Mass (Church/AUD)

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 16**  
 7:00 pm Spanish Bible Classes (Hall)

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17**  
 7:00 pm Guadalupano (Church)  
 8:00 pm BLD\_DCS Meeting (202)

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18**  
 7:00 pm Spanish SYMBOLON (104)

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19**  
 7:00 pm Juan XXIII (201)  
 7:30 pm BLD\_Single Parents (Hall)

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20**  
 7:30 pm BLD All (Hall)

**SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 21**  
 4:00 pm Angeles (208)  
 7:00 pm Grupo De Oracion (Hall)



**SUNDAY READINGS**

Exodus 32:7-11, 13-14  
 Psalm 51:3-4, 12-13, 17, 19  
 1 Timothy 1:12-17  
 Gospel Luke 15 : 1 - 32

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**Reflecting on the Word – Luke 15 : 1 - 32**

In response to the complaints of the Pharisees about his hospitality to sinners, Jesus offers the parable of the lost sheep. God is so loving and understanding and his mercy knows no bounds. He loves those who are already faithful and true, but rejoices when the repentant sinner returns to him. If you lost something important to you, what would you do to find it? Would you turn to Jesus to guide you? Do you feel lost sometimes? Do you turn to God for help to repent? What does it mean to forgive those who seek to reconcile with us? How do you show mercy?

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En respuesta a las quejas de los fariseos acerca de su hospitalidad a los pecadores, Jesús ofrece la parábola de las ovejas perdidas. Dios es tan amoroso y comprensivo y su misericordia no conoce límites. Él ama a aquellos que ya son fieles y verdaderos, pero se regocija cuando el pecador arrepentido regresa a él. Si perdieras algo importante para ti, ¿qué harías para encontrarlo? ¿Te dirigirías a Jesús para guiarte? ¿Te sientes perdido a veces? ¿Recurres a Dios para que te ayude a arrepentirte? ¿Qué significa perdonar a aquellos que buscan reconciliarse con nosotros? ¿Cómo muestras misericordia?

**GIFTS AND OFFERINGS**



*The Tabernacle Lamp is being offered for*  
 † **Albert F Reitenmeyer**



*The Altar Bread is being offered for*  
 † **John R Reitenmeyer**



*The Altar Wine is being offered for*  
 † **Margaret Reitenmeyer**

*The Altar Candles are being offered for*  
 † **Albert F Reitenmeyer**



Parish **Giving Online** is now available at Divine Mercy Parish. Sign-up is quick and easy via the link on our website (<https://divinemercyrahway.church>). For any questions or inquiries, please send an email to [webadmin@divinemercyrahway.church](mailto:webadmin@divinemercyrahway.church)

**BAPTISM**



With Joyful hearts let's welcome the newly Baptized of our Parish community **Amelia Flores.**

**PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM**

**CCD**



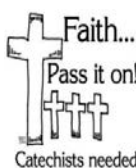
**Registration** will not be accepted after September 15. Registration fees are found on the parish web page under Faith Formation.

No se aceptarán inscripciones después del 15 de Septiembre. El costo de la inscripción esta estipulado en la página web de la parroquia bajo Formación de Fe.



**RCIA** is a program for all adults discerning to become Catholic. All are welcome to join our faith community. Baptism, First Communion and/or Confirmation rites will be given to qualified candidates. Please call the office at 732-388-0082 for more information or visit our parish website under Faith Formation for more details.

**El Programa RCIA** es para todos los adultos que discernen volverse católicos. Todos son bienvenidos a unirse a nuestra comunidad de fe. El Bautismo, la Primera Comunión y/o los ritos de Confirmación serán dados a los candidatos calificados. Por favor llame a la oficina al 732-388-0082 para más información o visite nuestra página web de la parroquia bajo Formación Fe para más detalles.



**CCD Catechist/ Volunteers** The Parish CCD program is in need of volunteer teachers and catechist for this coming school year. Please email us at [ccd@divinemercyrahway.church](mailto:ccd@divinemercyrahway.church) or call the CCD office at (732) 382-0004 if interested. All volunteers must pass a background screening and obtain "Protecting God's Children Certification".

**CCD catequista/ Voluntarios** El programa Parish CCD necesita profesores voluntarios y catequistas para este próximo año escolar. Por favor envíenos un correo electrónico a [ccd@divinemercyrahway.church](mailto:ccd@divinemercyrahway.church) o llame a la oficina del CCD al (732) 382-0004 si está interesado. Todos los voluntarios deben pasar una revisión de antecedentes y obtener la "Certificación de Protección de los Hijos de Dios".



**Altar Servers.** All children in grades 3 and above and have received first communion are invited to become Altar Servers. Please contact the Rectory if interested.

**Servidores de Altar.** Todos los niños de los grados 3 y superiores y han recibido la primera comunión son invitados a convertirse en Servidores de Altar. Póngase en contacto con el rector si está interesado.

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